AMENDMENT TO ITEM NO. 20

With Los Angeles County's public health care system facing a meltdown in 2007, the board needs to take all necessary action to identify funds to save a system that serves millions of patients. The County has to work with State and Federal officials to come up with viable solutions to revamp our health care system.

Boardmembers also believe that the safety net needs to be balanced with the competing priorities to repair infrastructure and provide quality parks, libraries, beaches and other public facilities that have been neglected for the past five years.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE, the Chief Administrative Officer, to set aside the \$20 million from the Hall of Administration project to the Health Department's Budget

Designation and also set aside \$9 million from the Food Stamp Penalty budget item to the Health Department's Budget Designation.

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